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The City National Bank,
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HAS BEEN COMPLETED

Volume Relating to Appointments and New Offices Finished.

NUMBER GREAT MANY

New Offices and Employments That Are Authorized Are Eleven Thousand and Three Hundred and Sixteen.

Washington, May 14.—The volume relating to appointments made and new offices created during the last session of congress has been completed. A summary of the appropriation shows a grand total of \$753,058,506.

In addition to the specific appropriations made, contract are authorized to be entered into for certain public works requiring future appropriations by congress, in the aggregate of \$36,989,859, the principal item of which is \$20,425,000 for additions to the navy.

The new offices and employments specifically authorized are 11,316 in number at an annual compensation of \$7,927,639; those abolished or omitted are 1815 in number at annual compensation of \$941,481, a net increase of 9501 in number and \$6,986,158 in amount.

A comparison of the total appropriations of the second session of the Fifty-seventh congress for 1904 with those of the first session for 1903, shows a reduction of \$47,565,990.

The principal items of decrease are for river and harbor improvements, \$12,307,049; for the Isthmian canal \$50,130,000 and for the military establishment \$13,341,385. Among the increases are:

For the naval establishment \$3,020,428; for the postal service \$15,095,951; for legislative, executive and judicial expenses \$2,200,000, including \$500,000 for the enforcement of the anti-trust laws, and for the agricultural department \$770,000.

The total appropriations made by the Fifty-seventh congress amount to \$1,553,683,602, an increase over the Fifty-sixth congress of \$113,193,567. This is accounted for in part by increases in the appropriation for the postal service of \$54,000,000; for the naval service \$17,500,000; for rivers and harbors \$29,500,000; for the Isthmian canal \$50,000,000; for the agricultural department \$2,500,000; for legislative, executive and judicial expenses \$4,200,000; for public buildings throughout the country \$10,000,000 and for the Philippine islands \$3,000,000.

Reductions are made in the appropriations for the military establishment of \$60,000,000 and for pensions \$10,000,000.

WORST FOR YEARS.

Heavy Northeast Wind Has Done Great Damage in Florida.

Jacksonville, Fla., May 14.—A heavy northeaster has been blowing for the past few days, accompanied with driving rain. Tuesday night and Wednesday morning it was unusually heavy. Reports from the state say that much damage has been done to turpentine camps, phosphate plants, etc. Farmers will suffer much and in some sections early vegetables and fruit have been damaged. High tides and heavy rains have flooded the lower portions of this city and boats are being used on several streets.

The terminal station and all approaches are three to five feet under water. In the railroad yards the floods are rushing through at a six-mile speed.

MARTIAL LAW.

Forty Men Said to Have Been Killed and Many Wounded at Valparaiso.

Buenos Ayres, May 14.—Advices received here from Valparaiso say martial law has been proclaimed there as a result of rioting at that place. Forty men are said to have been killed and many injured. When the officers of the Mercurio were attacked by the rioting dock laborers, the staff of that paper defended themselves with firearms. The rioters have set fire to a number of warehouses in addition to burning the premises of the South American steamship company. Troops are patrolling the streets of Valparaiso.

Riot Damage Great.

Santiago de Chile, May 14.—Owing to the measures taken by the authorities and government the riots at Valparaiso have subsided. The damage done is very great. Several buildings were burned to the ground and the esplanade was destroyed.

Telegraph Superintendents

New Orleans, La., May 14.—The twenty-second annual convention of the Association of Railway Telegraph Superintendents met here, resident J. H. Jacoby of the Lehigh Valley railroad, was in the chair. C. S. Rhodes of Indianapolis, was elected president. Mr. Rhodes is head of the telegraph department of the Big Four road with headquarters at Indianapolis. His home city was selected as the next place of the association's meeting. C. P. Adams of the Jersey Central was chosen vice-president and P. W. Drew re-elected secretary and treasurer, an office he has held for several years. Many new members were voted into the organization.

WHISKY WAS POISONED

Five Men Who Drank Some Were Made Terribly Ill.

ONE OF THEM IS DEAD

Mrs. Lizzie McCormick, a Resident of Memphis, Has Been Arrested at the Bluff City to Answer Charge of Murder.

Cincinnati, May 14.—William Daly and Louis Burbank, Adams express employees were poisoned Wednesday night along with three others who drank poisoned whisky from a bottle addressed to Mrs. Kate Nobbe of this city, and which became broken before delivery. They are in the city hospital in quite a serious condition. Benjamin Ficker, another one, died Wednesday night upon reaching the hospital. Two others are still suffering, though not expected to die.

Word came in response to a telegraphic request made by the acting chief of police at Memphis, that Mrs. Lizzie McCormick of Memphis, has been arrested on a charge of murder. This was caused by alleged identification by Mrs. Nobbe of handwriting on address of card on package containing the poisoned whisky. She also stated Mrs. McCormick had become intensely jealous of her connection with Edwin Pell of Memphis, who is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Nobbe. Mrs. McCormick is his housekeeper. Mrs. Nobbe says she received insulting letters, obscene pictures and articles by express from Memphis from Mrs. McCormick. Mrs. Nobbe has been separated from her husband some time, and is employed at the Hotel Hoising. She lives with her aunt and two children in rooms in the West End.

Disclaimed All Knowledge.

Memphis, May 14.—Mrs. Lucy McCormick, whom Mrs. Kate Nobbe of Cincinnati, alleges sent her a poisoned package at Cincinnati, was located at Hampton Place and brought to police headquarters. She was accompanied to the station by a man named Pell, proprietor of a saloon in Beal street, and who is said to have formerly lived in Cincinnati.

Mrs. McCormick denied all knowledge of a package of whisky and stated that she had returned to Mrs. Nobbe some days ago a package containing a doll, and which she afterwards said contained candy.

NO CHANGES.

Yoakum Intimates the Rock Island and Frisco Will Continue Separate.

New York, May 14.—B. F. Yoakum, president of the Frisco, returned from New York, where he has been for the last month, consummating the sale of the Frisco. Asked if there would be any changes in the Frisco management Mr. Yoakum said no changes are contemplated at present.

Referring to the Rock Island and Frisco systems, Mr. Yoakum said: "The relations between the roads are absolutely harmonious and those conditions will, I believe, continue." Mr. Yoakum intimated that the two systems will continue under separate managements and the Rock Island has no intentions of establishing general offices at St. Louis.

RIOTING RESULTS.

One Report Says Two Hundred Have Been Killed and Wounded.

New York, May 14.—No less than 2000 are dead or wounded as a result of the rioting in the streets here, says the Valparaiso correspondent of the Herald. It is impossible at present to ascertain the exact number of casualties.

El Heraldo, the only paper that was issued Wednesday, severely criticizes the authorities, whom it holds responsible for the outrages. All foreigners here are safe.

Demolished Iron Bridge.

Hot Springs, Ark., May 14.—While running at an ordinary speed, an east bound passenger train on the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf railroad jumped the track in the eastern suburbs of this city, wrecking the entire train and demolishing an iron bridge. One man was killed and twenty persons injured, three of whom will probably die. Fireman Reilly was killed.

Engineer Ryan, Conductor Weir and Newton Hall were fatally hurt.

Over One Hundred Years Old.

Salem, Ore., May 14.—Joseph Bashaw, who is, as near as can be figured out, at least 114 years old, was found dead in bed Wednesday night. He was a Frenchman by birth and served in the French war of 1805, under Napoleon.

Will Be Held Responsible.

Constantinople, May 14.—The sultan has warned the governors of provinces in European Turkey that they will be held personally responsible in the event of massacres occurring in territories under their jurisdiction.

Powders Caused Death.

New York, May 14.—J. D. Mackey, aged thirty-five, an actor and member of the Princess Chic company, who just returned from the road, died after having taken some powders recommended as a remedy for illness.

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You cannot get one to do a bit of work. We have to do our own mending and washing.

I have worked all the week surveying and this morning, Sunday, I have gathered up my dirty clothes to carry to the river and wash, and there are at least 100 other men preparing for the same pleasure.

We all have money, having just been paid off. There is no liquor of any kind out in these woods that can be got hold of, and no stores or other place to spend money. Gambling on a large scale is now the chief sport of the soldiers here. I will close. Your loving son, Francis A. Lowry.

Co. G., 2nd Bat. Engineers.

A FINE PROGRAM

For the Farmers Institute Meeting at Harris School House—Speakers of Ability Coming—Dinner Served and an All-Day Meeting to be Held.

The next meeting of the Brazos County Farmers Institute will be held at Harris School house on Friday, May 22. It will be called to order at 10 o'clock sharp, for an all-day session, with dinner on the premises.

This meeting will be an exception to those recently held, as to the matter of program, for some able speakers from a distance will be on hand to address the meeting.

People from all over the county are expected to attend this meeting. Everybody is invited. A great many from both town and country are expected, and all are requested to take along a well-filled basket.

The State Farmers Institute have agreed to send two good speakers.

Drs. R. M. Howe and H. A. Long have dissolved partnership. Dr. Howe going to St. Louis. Dr. Long, who has established a reputation for treating diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat throughout this section, will remain in Bryan, with offices at the same place, in the Howell building.

Hotel Arrivals.

EXCHANGE

C. J. Beeke, L. H. Davis, Dallas; D. F. Black, Cincinnati; W. V. McMaster, St. Louis; Jos. Harrell, Austin; Mrs. S. W. Holmes, Beaumont; A. B. Foster, Huntsville; T. L. Berry, C. B. Anderson, Houston; Ed. H. Hardin, Waco; E. H. Signor, I. & G. N.

TUCKER

R. L. Casey, Birmingham, N. Y.; H. R. Harry, Gatesville; W. T. Harmon, Edge; Dan Connell, Madisonville; W. H. Purdy, Dallas; J. M. Lawless, Maey; M. Lawless, Edge; Joe B. Walker.

CENTRAL

John Franklin, San Antonio; Oscar Hall and family.

ARCADE

T. Myers, Fort Worth; James Johnson.

H. O. Boatwright and A. W. Wilkerson have returned from the bankers' convention at Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Ford and J. F. Fannin of Hollis, Madison county, were here yesterday.

John Russell, a Zulrich, Madison county, was in the city yesterday.

Dan Connell, a Madisonville merchant was in the city yesterday.

Beall Chatham was here from Hempstead yesterday.

T. W. Frame of Edge was in the city yesterday.

S. J. Bain is here from Houston.

WHITEWELL AT WACO.

Harvard Student Missing for Some Time Thought to Have Been There.

New York, May 14.—A letter from Waco, Tex., signed by a man named Podgett has been received by the family of William S. Whitwell, a Harvard student and athlete, who has been missing for some time, which may aid in clearing up the mystery of the young man's disappearance. The writer says he was called on recently by a young man answering Whitwell's description, who represented himself as a student at Harvard. The visitor, Mr. Podgett says, claimed to be a son of a prominent resident of New York, and added that his father did not know where he was and he did not want him to know.

Shot Through Ogden

Salt Lake, Utah, May 14.—Traveling at the rate of fifty miles an hour, the special train of E. H. Harriman, president of the Harriman Lines, shot through Ogden and continued on its journey from San Francisco to New York. This is the first time on record a train has passed through Ogden without stopping at the union station and was at the request of President Harriman, who learned earlier that a deputy United States marshal was awaiting his arrival at Ogden to serve papers in connection with the suit of heirs of former Governor Durkee against the Central Pacific railroad, involving something like \$27,000,000.

Cotton Spinners.

Charlotte, N. C., May 14.—A large attendance of cotton mill owners from every section of the south and a number of visiting mill men from New England were present when the seventh annual meeting of the Southern Cotton Spinners' association was called to order by President George B. Hiss. After the address of welcome and the response and election of new members President Hiss delivered his annual address. Gen. W. F. Draper of Hopedale, Mass., delivered a technical address on "The Development of Rapidly Running or Yielding Bearing Spindles."

Twenty-One Points Higher.

New Orleans, May 14.—On a wild and irregular opening in the cotton market July options went to 12 cents, selling twenty-one points up from 11.79 at closing Wednesday. In other options August advanced twenty points to 11.31 and September advanced eleven points to 9.27. The advance was caused by sensational reports from Liverpool.

Rebels Captured.

New Orleans, May 14.—T. M. Solomon & Co., financial representatives of the Nicaraguan government here, have received the following cablegram from that government: We have captured the steamer Victoria and all revolutionists. Peace reigns throughout the republic.

Embezzlement Charged.

Guthrie, Okla., May 14.—W. H. Williams, postmaster at Iconium and his clerk, R. F. Childs, were arrested on the charge of embezzling postoffice funds. Warrants were also issued for two others, charged with complicity. All are colored.

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I. & G. N. SCHEDULE.

No. 2—Northbound—Passenger Arrives..... 11:50 a. m.
No. 1—Southbound—Passenger—Arrives..... 4:15 p. m.

H. & T. C. SCHEDULE.

NORTH BOUND TRAINS:
No. 1..... 4:19 a. m.
No. 3..... 1:38 p. m.
No. 5..... 12:50 a. m.
No. 7..... 10:18 a. m.
SOUTH BOUND TRAINS:
No. 2..... 2:14 p. m.
No. 4..... 3:56 p. m.
No. 6..... 2:27 a. m.
No. 8..... 9:55 a. m.

Office Hours Bryan Postoffice.

WEEK DAYS:—General Delivery, Registry and Money Order business opens at 8 a. m. and closes at 6 p. m. Mails for midnight trains are closed at 9 p. m.

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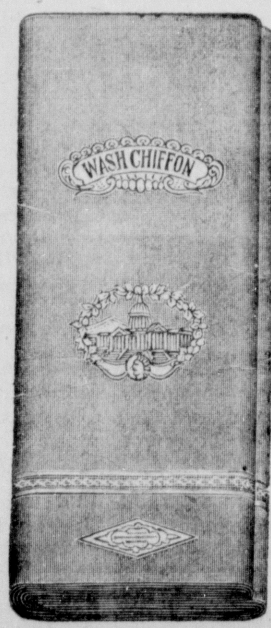
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TELEPHONE NUMBER 114

Local News

New lawns at Norwood's. 137
I. H. Motes went to Houston yesterday.
Boys' low quarter shoes at Norwood's. 137
Mrs. H. C. Robinson is visiting at Marlin.
Newest styles in ladies' collars at Norwood's. 137
M. S. Edge returned from Houston yesterday.
1,000 bolts of new embroideries at Norwood's. 137
Dr. R. H. Harrison visited Benchley yesterday.
Ernest Altenburger went to Galveston yesterday.
Mrs. D. M. Dansby returned from Wellborn yesterday.
Tom Wilson of Navasota was a visitor to the city yesterday.
Mrs. W. W. Duncan returned yesterday from a visit to Hearne.
Mrs. S. T. Kelley of St. Louis is the guest of Mrs. Wm. Koppe.
Wm. Rigby Jr. and Miss Mary Rigby left for Houston yesterday.
Mrs. Willis of Waco is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. M. Waldrop.
E. H. Signor, tie inspector for the I. & G. N., was in the city yesterday.
Dry cordwood for sale in any quantity. See S. H. Allphin or 'phone 128. 140
W. G. Lomax of Waxahachie is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lomax.
Just received—Fresh shipment Huyler's candies, at McDougald's Drug Store. 142
Little Miss Ara Haswell will be at home to her little friends this afternoon at 4 o'clock.
Fruit Jars—one car; big stock; will undersell any and everybody; get prices. J. Allen Myers. may 9dw
The fish merchants have been plying their trade on the streets with success the past week or so.
T. A. Searcy and John B. Mike left yesterday for Hearne to assist the lodge there in Masonic work.
Miss Yetta Brizzolari of Madisonville left for Houston yesterday after a visit to Mrs. S. H. Allphin.
The Bryan band is putting in good work at practice regularly now, and shows much improvement already.
Miss Isabelle Steele returned to Navasota yesterday accompanied by Misses Nellie Rohde and Nettie Brietz.

Mrs. J. N. Goodwin offers a very fine milk cow for sale; has young calf. Inquire at Mrs. Berryman's. 136
Mrs. W. K. Marriott and Miss Bessie Marriott went to Bremond yesterday to visit Mrs. A. L. Shackelford.

Oscar Hall sold his home in the west part of town to W. T. Ford. He left yesterday with his family for Houston.

Keep the sidewalk building boom going. It is one of the greatest improvements inaugurated here for a long time.

For Sale Cheap or for Rent—My home place in west part of town; well improved. Apply to Oscar Hall or at Eagle office. 136

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chaney of Mesa, J. R. Taylor and daughter and J. H. Taylor of Cross Grimes county, were visitors to the city yesterday.

Fresh bread and cakes, light, clean and wholesome, supplied in any quantity by the Texas Bakery, Mrs. Otto Boehme, Proprietress. 135f

The dewberry crop is engaging attention at present, and there seems to be an abundance. We heard of one party picking sixty gallons in one afternoon.

Cold drinks of all kinds, ice cream with crushed fruits, confectioneries, etc., at C. H. Holmes' restaurant and ice cream parlor. Cream supplied in quantities. 135f

Office furniture and fixtures, desk conveniences, everything for the business man, sold by The Exline Co., Dallas. Connolly & Carnes, agents, Bryan.

Jeff D. Franklin is making a number of improvements at his up-to-date meat market. He is installing a 2½-horse power gasoline engine and fans, a rendering vat and other accessories of the business.

Rev. E. L. Shettles returned yesterday from Austin, where he went to see the governor regarding the commutation of the death penalty in the Toke Price case. No action has yet been taken by the governor.

For Sale at a Bargain—Nice 5-room cottage, outhouses, large cistern and city water; southern part of town near graded school. Owner leaving Bryan. Apply to Hilton. Bros. & Co. 142

Mrs. M. O. Britt of Beeville, Mrs. J. H. Uzzle and children of Montgomery county and O. E. Jacobs of Grovetown were here yesterday en route to Madison county to attend a family reunion at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Jacobs.

You can see the picture of the book, showing its binding exactly, select the quality of the paper, and save lots of uncertainty and annoyance, if you will phone the Eagle office when you want a blank book of any kind. We represent Exline of Dallas, the biggest house in the South.



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Men's Outfitters.

E. H. Elrod, a graduate of the A. and M. College, was in the city yesterday. Mr. Elrod makes his headquarters at Joplin, Mo., and sells structural steel. He was here with a view to figuring on the new buildings at the A. and M. College, and will return later, the appropriation bill not having yet come from the governor.

It used to be the fashion for people to make their money in Bryan and then move to some big town. Now they are building handsome homes with beautiful grounds, nice sidewalks, etc. They are spending their money at home and making local investments, and to our way of thinking it speaks well for the future of the town.

There were nine applications for membership in the Elks lodge at the meeting Wednesday night and three more yesterday, making a total of twelve. Prof. P. S. Tilson was duly and properly initiated at the Wednesday night meeting. The lodge has rented the entire third floor of the Howell building and workmen will begin at once to fit it up. A lodge-room, 50x50, with parlors, pool and billiard room, reading-room and gymnasium adjoining comprise the improvements contemplated.

As announced in a supplement in yesterday's Eagle, the Colorado trip contest will open up Sunday with a coupon in the Morning Eagle. On Monday the stores named below will begin giving voting tickets with all sales for cash or on 30 days, to-wit: Wagner & Brandon, Parks & Waldrop, Clarke & Fountain, Jno. M. Lawrence & Co., James & Hart, Levy Bros., Tyler Haswell, Buchanan & Buchanan, E. C. Harder & Co., Jeff D. Franklin's market, Konecny Bros. market.

DR. MINOR C. BALDWIN.

Return Engagement at Methodist Church Friday Evening, May 15.

Dr. Minor C. Baldwin, whose organ recital at the Methodist church Saturday night has been the subject of so much favorable comment, has, by special arrangement with the ladies of the Methodist church, agreed to return and give another



recital Friday night, May 15. The admission price will remain the same, 25 cents to all. In Houston and Galveston, where Dr. Baldwin gives recitals this week, the advertised prices are 50 and 75 cents.

PROGRAM.

1. Toccata and fugue.....Bach
2. Spring Song.....Mendelssohn
3. Pilgergesang, "Tannhauser".....Wagner
4. Navasota Quartette.....Selected
5. Overture.....Selected
6. (a) Prelude.....Bach
6. (b) Selection from "Norma".....Bellini
7. Navasota Quartette.....Selected
8. Organ.....Selected
9. The Marvelous Work, "Creation".....Haydn

Tickets on sale at City National bank; Parks & Waldrop's, Tyler Haswell's, Wilson & Jenkins' and Hunter & Chatham's. 136

A MISUNDERSTANDING.

You Don't Have to Be a Writer to Go On Our Colorado Trip.

A misunderstanding exists in the minds of some about one feature of the Colorado Trip Contest. Some think we want able writers only to go on the excursion—that we want some great, long, high-flown letter for publication. There could be no greater mistake. We care very little about the writing part of it. We want somebody to go on this excursion and have a good time, and if they wish to write something for the paper, all right; and if they don't, all right. You don't have to set yourself up as a writer to get in this contest. Go in and win it. Take the trip and enjoy it. The correspondence is a secondary consideration.

Postoffice Inspector Anderson was here yesterday, but no bids had been put in to supply a separate building for the postoffice, and he went away after a conference with Postmaster Myers without doing anything. Should a suitable building be offered he will return and take the matter up again.

Confederate Reunion at New Orleans.

May 17 and 18 the H. & T. C. R. R. will sell round-trip tickets to New Orleans; fare \$9.20; transit limit one day in each direction; limited to leave New Orleans not later than May 24, 1903; limit will be extended to June 15, 1903, if ticket is deposited with joint agent at New Orleans on or before May 24 and payment of fee of 50 cents. W. S. Wilson, Agent. may 7-d-w

Burt Norwood and J. W. Leigh returned yesterday from the town lot sale at Maypearl. Mr. Norwood bought a nice business lot adjoining a bank building now going up.

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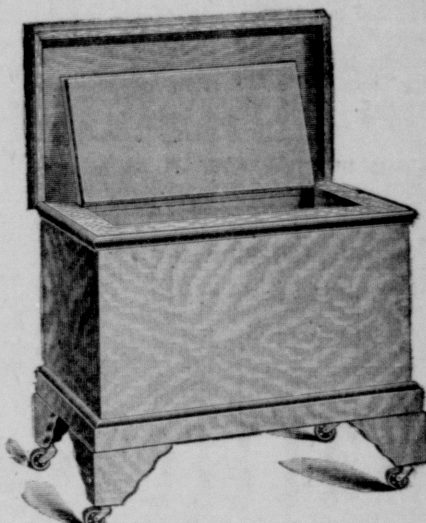
CEISHA RYE WHISKY

Luther Taylor, Prop.

BRYAN, TEXAS.

LEVY BROS.

Will present you the following economy opportunities for THIS WEEK



A good cloth window shade, regular price 35c, this week.....

17½c

Something extra good with heavy fringe regular price 60c, this week..... **37½c**

Curtain poles complete, sold everywhere at 25c, this week..... **10c**

A set of good water glasses, regular price 30c, this week..... **15c**

These are a few of the many bargains we will offer this week

LEVY BROS.,

The Furniture, Stove, and House Furnishing Men.

WALKING AND DRESS SKIRTS

I have just received direct from the manufacturer a full case of wool Walking Skirts for spring and summer wear All the newest and latest cuts, all the latest cloths and at surprisingly low prices

Grey flannel, seventeen gore kilted walking skirt—it is a beauty and must be seen to be appreciated

\$4.90

Light grey, seven gore, plain flare walking skirt, strapped seams, a popular selling style

\$3.50

Seven gore, grey flannel unlined skirt, kilted, trimmed with buttons, regular \$5.00 skirt, Coulter's cash price

\$3.50

A beauty—nine gore kilted unlined dress skirt, stitched with Persian black and white thread, this skirt in black, grey, and Royal blue

\$4.90

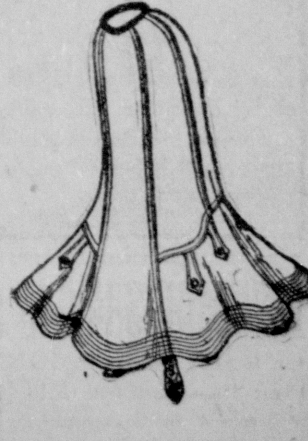
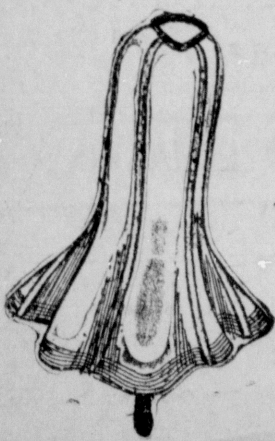
Above skirt in light grey basket weave cloth, a beauty

\$3.50

W. J. COULTER

Above skirt in all wool, light, grey plaid, a beauty for

\$5.00



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J. W. Batts

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AGENT

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FOR SALE.

About 105 acres located one mile
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with 6 wires. Price \$1500.00.

About one and one-quarter acres
near school house in southeast part
of town. Small new cottage, tenant
house and well on premises. Price
\$750.

Six room house and two lots of
ground located four blocks from
Main Street. Brick cistern on pre-
mises. Price \$1250.

One quarter block near Allen Aca-
demy. East front. Price \$250.00.
Terms easy.

One half of a block near Allen
academy. Price \$500.00.

Lots near school house at \$100
each.

About 13 acres of land on south
Side of town, good new 4-room house
with well, stable and out-houses.
Price \$1000.

4-room house, with pantry, hall
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4 blocks from Courthouse. Rents
for \$9.00 per month. Price \$650.00.

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Diners all the way between Mexico and St.
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THROUGH TRAINS TO FT. WORTH APRIL 30

Our Fort Worth division a new direct line,
between Fort Worth and Galveston through
Waco, Marlin, Calvert, Bryan, Navasota and
Houston, is now complete, forming a new
trunk line across the State, between North
and South Texas, and North and Southwest
Texas and Mexico. Our trains will occupy
the Grand Union Station, Ft. Worth.

Through Services Commencing April 30.

L. TRICE, D. J. PRICE
2d Vice-Pres & Gen Mgr Gen Pass & Ticket Agt
PALESTINE, TEXAS.

COTTON STILL UP.

Excitement Continued on Thursday at
the New York Market.

New York, May 14.—Wild excite-
ment and new high prices marked the
opening of the cotton market this
morning. The first quotations were an
advance of eleven to fourteen points on
active months, with May selling up to
11.38, July 10.95 and August 10.63 un-
der continued scramble of shorts to
fulfill their contracts. Liverpool ad-
vance in futures were perhaps a shade
under expectations, but later cables
reflected a steady advancing tendency.
Sale of 20,000 bales proved an
even more powerful factor. After the
call here there was a tremendous re-
alizing which carried prices three or
four points off from best, but shorts
continued covering with unabated hun-
ger and market still showed great
strength and nervousness.

SAYS HE IS MILLS.

Man Who Disappeared First of the Year
Confronted by a Deserter's Wife.

Chicago, May 14.—The Tribune
says: A deserted wife Wednesday
night confronted Harold C. Reed, who
is accused by Miss Laura Stickler of
luring her to the Newport hotel, where
she fell from the hotel story in an at-
tempt to escape.

"He is Harold C. Mills," said the
wife; "we were married October 26
last. I suspect that he is a bigamist,
and I want him tried on that charge."

Harold C. Mills was the president of
the Guarantee Home Security com-
pany, and he disappeared on New Year's
day. Detectives representing a thou-
sand stockholders searched for him
without success. Mills left Chicago,
he said, to negotiate a loan in Buf-
falo. Since then his whereabouts has
been unknown until Mrs. Mills ap-
peared Wednesday night at Harrison street
police station, where he is a prisoner.

Mrs. Mills says that she has received
letters which indicate that the man
had been married in Detroit, Pittsburg
and St. Louis. He came from Chicago
to St. Louis where he was engaged in
the picture business.

Woodmen Elect Officers.

Milwaukee, Wis., May 14.—The
Woodmen of the World elected sov-
ereign officers as follows: Sovereign
adviser, E. A. Fulkner, Denver;
banker, Congressman Morris Sheppard
of Texarkana; clerk, John T. Yates,
Omaha; watchman, B. W. Jewell of
Omaha; escort, H. F. Simrall of Miss-
issippi; sentry, D. E. Bradshaw of
Little Rock; physicians, Drs. Ira W.
Porter and A. D. Floyd of Omaha. Com-
mander Jos. C. Root of Omaha holds
over for four years.

Heart Was Ruptured.

Cleveland, O., May 14.—An autopsy
performed on the body of Iona Mason,
the thirteen year old girl who it was
supposed had committed suicide by
drinking calbolic acid, showed that
her death was due to a ruptured heart.

Attempt Caused a Fatality.

Muscatine, Ia., May 14.—An attempt
to hold up Thomas McCarty's restau-
rant at West Liberty resulted in the
death of Arthur Meade, who attempted
to assist the proprietor.

Twenty Coke Ovens

Fort Smith, Ark., May 14.—The coal
department of the Fort Smith and
Western has let the contract for 940
company houses to be erected at Mc-
Curtain, and twenty coke ovens are to
be built immediately.

Quartered in Pullmans.

Mobile, Ala., May 14.—Men being
brought here to take places of striking
Mobile and Ohio railroad strikers are
quartered in Pullman cars.

Head Was Cut Off

Hartshorne, I. T., May 14.—Montier
Amerson was killed while attempting
to get on a moving train, his head be-
ing cut off.

Saw His Finish.

"Are you preparing to die?" asked
the elderly female of the condemned
prisoner.

"No, ma'am, I ain't," replied the vic-
tim of circumstances. "But the feller
in the next cell can stand a lot of talk.
You might call on him."—Chicago
News.

As Others See Him.

"Ah, he'll never be able to fill his fa-
ther's shoes!"

"No; but he thinks his hat would
come down over the old man's ears, all
right."—Chicago Record-Herald.

CHURCHES OF MEXICO.

They Are Great Curiosities From an
Architectural Standpoint.

From an architectural standpoint the
churches of Mexico are the most won-
derful churches in the world. Archi-
tects from all over the world have
been astonished and puzzled by the
miracles in stone. There are great
arches and domes composed entirely
of small pieces of stone cemented to-
gether. According to all the rules of
construction, these arches and domes
could not have been built in the first
place, and in the second would not hold
together for a minute, yet they are
there and are as solid as though built
of steel.

It remained for an assayer from
Denver who had settled in northern
Mexico to solve the mystery. He culti-
vated the friendship of a priest and
persuaded him to aid in his investiga-
tions. Together they went through the
musty records stored in the church
vaults, which run back for two or
three centuries, and there they found
what appears to be a truthful and
very plausible explanation of the won-
derful feats of architecture.

It was recorded that when one tier
of stone was laid about the base of the
building earth was carried and heaped
up to the level of the highest stones;
another tier was then added and more
earth piled up on each side of it. This
process was repeated until the dome
and arches were reached. Then the
earth was rounded off to the desired
shape and the stone cemented together
on the surface of the ground. When
sufficient time had elapsed for the mor-
tar to set and become as hard as the
stone itself, the workmen dug out the
dirt from the church, and it was ready
for the finishing touches.

Labor must have been cheap and
plentiful in those days to perform such
a stupendous task, and there is ample
reason to believe that it was cheap and
plentiful.—Washington Star.

PAINTING THE WORLD.

Indian Legend of the Way Spring Came into Existence.

Once, long before there were men in
the world, all the earth was covered
with snow and ice.

White and frozen lay the rivers and
the seas; white and frozen lay the
plains. The mountains stood tall and
dead, like ghosts in white gowns.

There was no color except white in all
the world except in the sky, and it was
almost black. At night the stars looked
ed through it like angry eyes.

Then God sent the spring down into
the world—the spring with red lips and
curling yellow hair.

In his arms he bore sprays of apple
blossoms and the first flowers—crocus,
anemones and violets, red, pink, blue,
purple, violet and yellow.

The first animal to greet the spring
was the white rabbit. The spring
dropped a red crocus on his head, and
ever since then all white rabbits have
red eyes.

Then the spring dropped a blue vio-
let on a white bird, the first bird to
greet the spring, and that is the way
the bluebird was made. Ever since
then it is the first bird to arrive when
the spring comes down from heaven.

So the spring went through the world.
Wherever he tossed the leaves from
his fragrant burden the earth became
green. He tossed the blossoms on the
frozen seas, and the ice melted, and the
fish became painted with all the tint
of his flowers. That is the way the
trout and the minnows and the salmon
became gaudy.

Only the high mountains would not
bow to the spring. So their summits
remain white and dead, for they would
let the spring paint only the sides.

The snow owls and the white geese
and the polar bears fled from the
spring, so they, too, remain white to
this day.

A Tiger Story.

There is a story current at Kuloang,
central China, about a tiger which gave
trouble in that quarter. A missionary
and his wife had been worried by the
tiger prowling nightly around their
home. They determined to be rid of
it and one night tied a cow up in the
back yard and a dog at the front of the
house. Then they armed themselves
with guns and kept watch. The tiger
appeared. The missionary fired and
killed the cow. The wife rushed to
see what had happened, and in her ab-
sence the tiger ate the dog.

LOUISIANA BANKERS.

Their Texas Brethren Wire Greetings and
Good Wishes to Them.

Shreveport, La., May 14.—The Louis-
iana Bankers' association convened
here Wednesday in annual session. The
day was largely devoted to the busi-
ness of the convention and listening
to addresses on the subject of "Trust
Companies in Louisiana."

The Texas Bankers' association
which met at Sherman wired greet-
ings and good wishes.

President J. H. Fulton's annual ad-
dress dwelt upon the long era of good
times the business and bank world
has been experiencing and sounded a
warning against prodigality in busi-
ness.

Referring to the currency, Mr. Ful-
ton said the time is rapidly approach-
ing when action to secure an elastic
currency must supplant all talk. The
secretary's report showed a large and
flourishing membership.

GIRL SPEAKS.

Filipino Maiden Says She Came to Make
an Appeal to the President.

Chicago, May 14.—A dispatch to the
Tribune from Boston says: Senorita
Clemencia Lopez, a Filipino girl who is
here to do crusade work for the inde-
pendence of her people, has spoken
for the first time in English at an anti-
imperialist luncheon. She said she
came to take an appeal to President
Roosevelt.

"Now that General Miles has
spoken," she said, "it may be that
some fear may disappear that has
heretofore prevented my countrymen
from protesting against the oppression
that we are suffering under."

"The only true way is for a proper
commission to go to the Philippines,
appointed either by congress or pri-
vately, charged to ascertain the real
situation and the real sentiments of
the Filipinos."

Lorenz' Methods Discussed.

Washington, May 14.—Fifty of the
component societies of the Congress
of American Physicians and Surgeons
held meetings Wednesday and some of
them concluded their work. The meth-
ods of Prof. Adolf Lorenz, the Aus-
trian surgeon, in the treatment of con-
genital hip disease and club feet fur-
nished the feature of general interest
at the meetings of the American Sur-
gical and Orthopedic associations. To
the surgical association the case of
Charles Willet, operated upon last
November by Dr. Lorenz for club feet,
was presented. Although one of ex-
cessive difficulty, the operation was
pronounced a perfect success.

Will Ask Discontinuance.

Baltimore, May 14.—Wm. H. Jack-
son, Republican member of congress
from the First Maryland district, an-
nounced today that he will ask for the
discontinuance of the postoffice at
Quindocul in Somerset county, to
which Andres J. Day, a negro, was re-
cently appointed. This is said to be
the first colored postmaster appointed
in this state. Congressman Jackson
says he will ask for the discontinuance
because it is unnecessary and because
Day is not a proper person to hold
such an office.

Not Extraditable.

Washington, May 14.—The state de-
partment has been obliged to inform
Governor Dockery of Missouri that
it cannot grant his request to secure
the extradition of Ellis Wainwright,
a millionaire brewer of St. Louis, who
is wanted in connection with the mu-
nicipal bribery charges, and who is
supposed to have fled to France. The
obstacle lies in the fact that the French
extradition treaty does not enumerate
bribery as an extraditable offense.

Cannot Move Yet.

St. Genevieve, Mo., May 14.—The
monitor Arkansas will apparently re-
main here for a long time. Another
slight fall in the river stage preclud-
ed all hope of her returning to St.
Louis, as sounding up stream shows
little over nine feet of water and the
monitor draws eleven. Barges laden
with coal replenished her bunkers.
E. O. Jones, chief boatswain's mate,
has been honorably discharged and the
jacksies envy him his liberty.

Activity Confirmed.

City of Mexico, May 14.—The gov-
ernment authorities have received ad-
vices confirming activity of the vol-
cano of Colima. Tuesday there was in
the afternoon an eruption equal to
the most violent overflows of former
years. Showers of ashes are frequent
and yet no damage is reported from
neighboring ranches and haciendas.
Loud noises underneath the earths sur-
face are reported.

Federation of Employers.

New York, May 14.—The National
Federation of Employers is expected to
be one of the consequences of the
movement begun by employees of labor
in the building trades to organize for
protective and aggressive purposes
against labor unions. Telegrams and
letters received from Chicago, Phila-
delphia, Boston and other cities state
the movement in this city is being
watched with keenest interest.

Employed All Asking Work

New York, May 14.—Subway con-
tractors begun to employ every man
who asked for work in the subway
here in place of strikers who Wed-
nesday refused to return to work. In a
short time a big force had been em-
ployed. Police guard the whole length
of the subway.

Australian Parliament Meets.

Melbourne, Victoria, May 14.—Par-
liament met Wednesday. The gov-
ernor's speech was the shortest on re-
cord. He merely announced that par-
liament had been summoned to pass a
measure dealing with the railroad
strike.

Largest Battleship Afloat.

London, May 14.—The Common-
wealth, the largest battleship afloat,
was launched at Govan on the Clyde
Wednesday.

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public in 1903, as we have
done heretofore, with the best
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